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For : FLEXIBLE PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL BASES AND
MIDDLE DISTILLATES WITH A CONVERTING PRETREATMENT STAGE FOLLOWED
BY A CATALYTIC DEWAXING STAGE

**PETITION FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 OR § 1.323**

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Sir:

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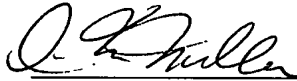
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Respectfully submitted,



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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 39, line 61 reads " $D_{\text{mean}} - 30 \text{ \AA}$ and $D_{\text{mean}} - 30 \text{ \AA}$ " should read -- $D_{\text{mean}} - 30 \text{ \AA}$ and $D_{\text{mean}} + 30 \text{ \AA}$ --

Column 40, line 22 reads " cm_3 " should read -- cm^3 --

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